

January 2012

# Proposed Street Improvement Program

# **History of Project**

- December, 2009 through February 2010– series of public meetings introducing idea of dedicated sales tax and bond
- Public comment sheet distributed at meetings and in water bills

# Purpose of presentation:

Inform the voters about proposal on ballot in April, 2012 regarding bond issue for Town of Buena Vista.

#### "Yes" to bond:

Could improve Hwy. 24, Gregg Drive, East Main to South Main, Rodeo, and more **by 2016** 

THERE WILL BE NO NEW TAX!!!

### **History of Project**

# Please Join US

WHAT: Public meeting to discuss proposed new sales tax to fund roadway improvements such as new sidewalks and paving

WHEN: Wednesday, Jan 13th

6:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

Q&A to follow

WHERE: BV Community Center

Piñon Room

WHY: Join us, your opinion matters! Refreshments and snacks

will be provided

# Come Join

#### Public Meeting – Buena Vista Community Center

Tuesday, December 1st, 2009 6:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. With Q&A to follow

<u>OR</u>

Friday, December 4th, 2009 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. With O&A to follow

**US** 

Representatives of the Town will discuss potential road improvements within town limits. Refreshments and snacks will be provided – join us, your opinion matters! 2010 surveyapprox 160 respondents

ROAD	
Gregg Drive -Rodeo to Highway 24	58%
Community Center parking lots	23%
Rodeo Road: Gregg to Main St	18%
Cedar - Beldan to Evans	14%
317: Town limits to Antero Circle	11%
Tabor alley - Main to Arkansas	9%
James Street bridge	7%
River Park Road	7%

# 2011/12 survey. Approx 76 respondents prior to 1-24-12

Project Description	Rating Average
East Main Street: by community center	80%
Highway 24: BV corridor	74%
Community Center parking on South Main	71%
Gregg Drive: Rodeo to Highway 24	64%
Cedar: Beldan to Evans	64%
Rodeo Road: Gregg Drive to Main St	59%
Road to the Boathouse	55%
CR 317: HRRMC to Antero Circle	47%
Arkansas: N. Colorado to River Park	46%

# **History of Project**

 April, 2010 – dedicated sales tax ballot issue passed by voters. Bond ballot issue fails vote

 Sales tax revenue estimated at \$250,000+ annually for streets projects

### **Types of Proposed Improvements**

 Drainage – improve flooding and runoff problems - 2011

- Paving projects 2012
- Larger projects and sidewalks/complete streets: 2012+

**Shell Station Pine - Ponderosa** 



Before



# **Beldan & Gold St Drainage Pond**



Before



**COMPLETED 2011** 

### **Beldan and Main Street**



Before



**COMPLETED 2011** 

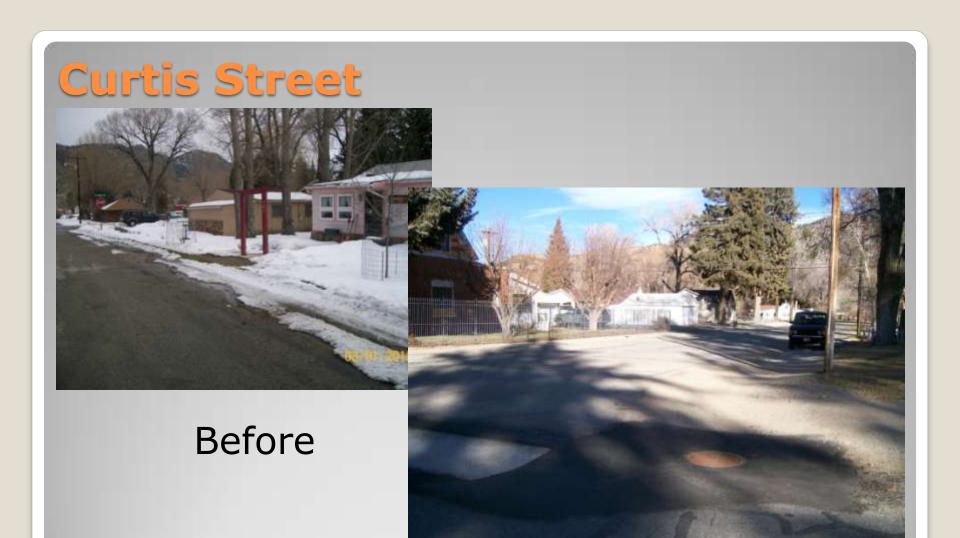
# W. Pine: Cottonwood and Alsina



Before



COMPLETED 2011



COMPLETED 2011

# Railroad Street



Before





- Total dedicated sales tax spent 2011 to improve:
  - Pine/Ponderosa (Shell Station)
  - Curtis Street
  - Beldan
  - Railroad
  - Chestnut
  - Pine/Alsina
  - Gold Street

\$123,000 cost including engineering and surveying.

Dedicated sales tax 2011 recap:

Beginning balance: \$435,778

Spent in 2011: \$(122,000)

Sales tax received: \$253,290

Balance end of 2011:\$567,068

- 2012 proposed sales tax projects
  - Hwy 24 and East Main drainage
  - Marquette drainage
  - Court pave
  - Pinon pave
  - Yale pave
  - Cedar pave and fix drainage
  - Shady Lane repave
  - Chip seal one quadrant of Town
  - Estimated Cost: \$329,000

# Texaco Station-Hwy 24 & Main



Construction to be completed early 2012, engineering is complete

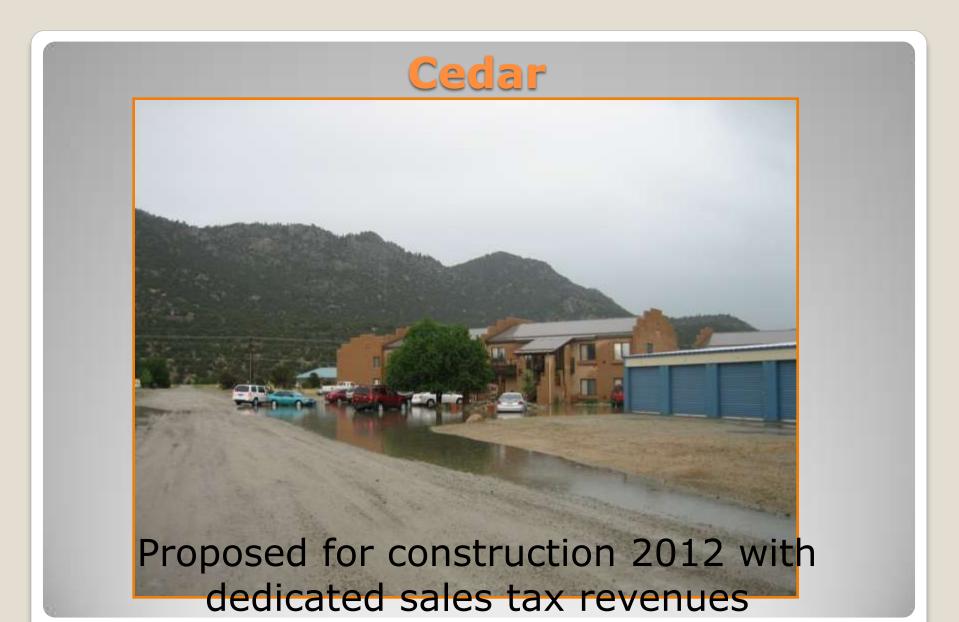
### **Marquette at Collegiate Heights**





### Pinon - N Court to School





### N. Court - Pinon to Arkansas



### **West Yale Avenue**





- Large, unfunded projects
  - Highway 24
  - Gregg Drive
  - East Main Street + South Main Street
  - Community Center Parking
  - Rodeo Road
  - CR 317:Town limits (HRRMC)- Antero Cir
  - Road to Boathouse
  - Arkansas Road

Estimated cost: \$1.8-\$3.0 M

(2012 prices)

# Highway 24 - BV Corridor



Town is required by CDOT to install improvements behind curb and gutter. Proposed for construction with dedicated sales tax revenues and bond.

# Gregg Drive: Rodeo Road - 319



Proposed for construction with bond

### **East Main Street**



# South Main and Community Center Parking



Proposed for construction with bond

# Rodeo Road- Gregg to Main

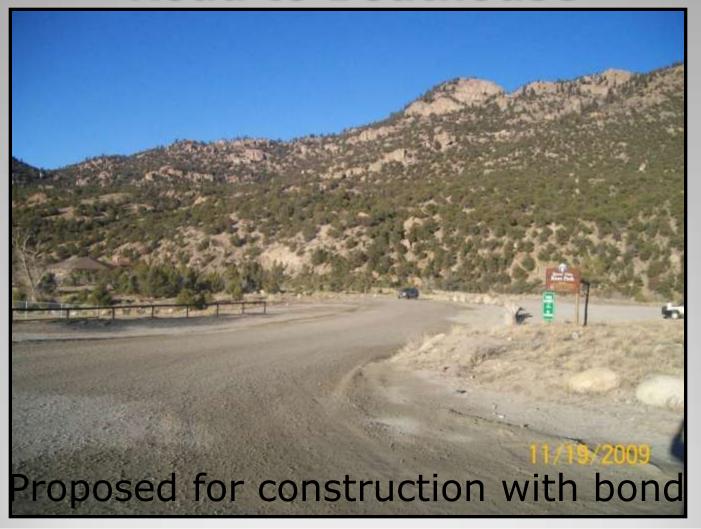


# CR 317:Town limits (HRRMC)Antero Circle

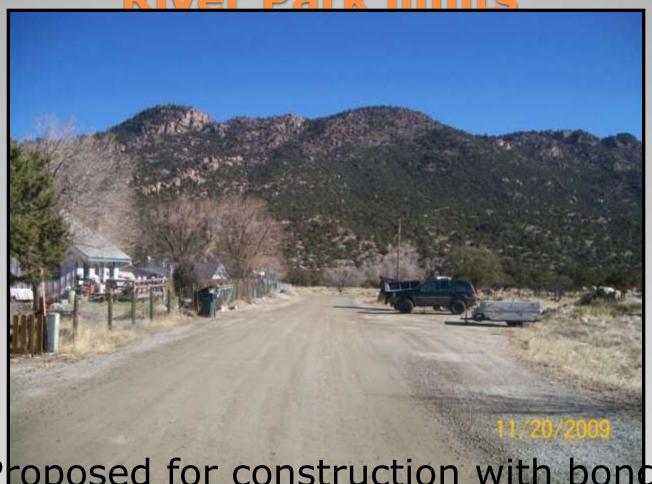


Proposed for construction with bond

### Road to Boathouse



Arkansas: N. Colorado -**River Park limits** 



Proposed for construction with bond

### "NO" VOTE FOR BOND

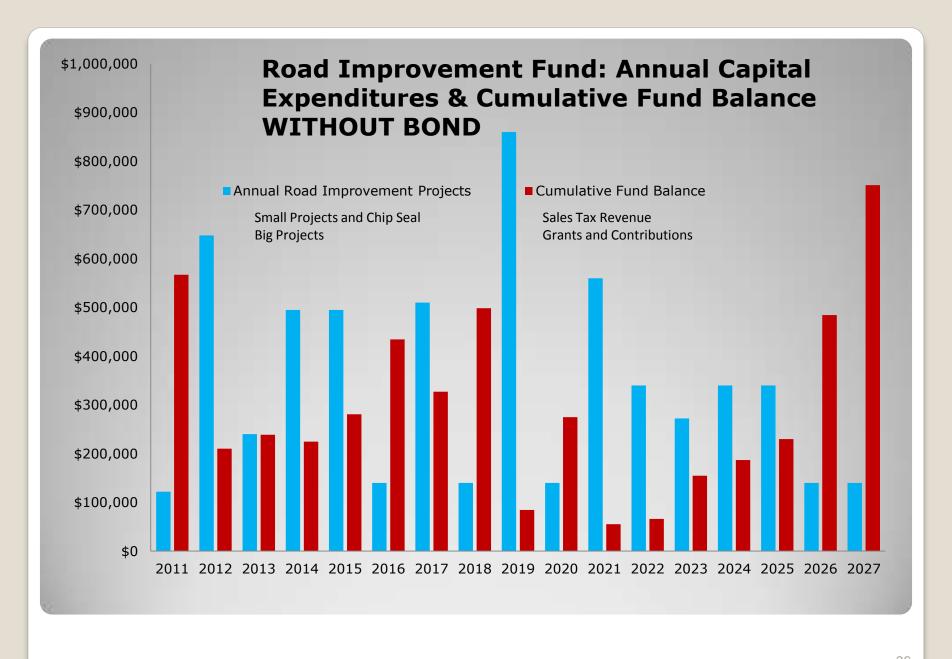
#### Pay as you go:

- Improve Hwy. 24, Gregg Drive, East Main to South Main, etc one at a time, every 5-10 years as money is saved
- No money for sidewalks

#### **Sales Tax Revenue:**

- \$50,000/ year for chip seal
- \$65,000/ year small projects
- \$135,000/year for large projects

# Hwy 24 and big projects not completed until 2025 or later



### **BOND ASSUMPTIONS**

- Amount borrowed \$3 million
- Interest rate approximately 4%
- Annual payment fixed at \$221,000 for term of 20 years
- Required reserves 10% (\$300,000)
- Projected sales tax revenue 3% annual growth (\$261,000 in 2012 - \$350,000 by 2022)

### "YES" VOTE FOR BOND

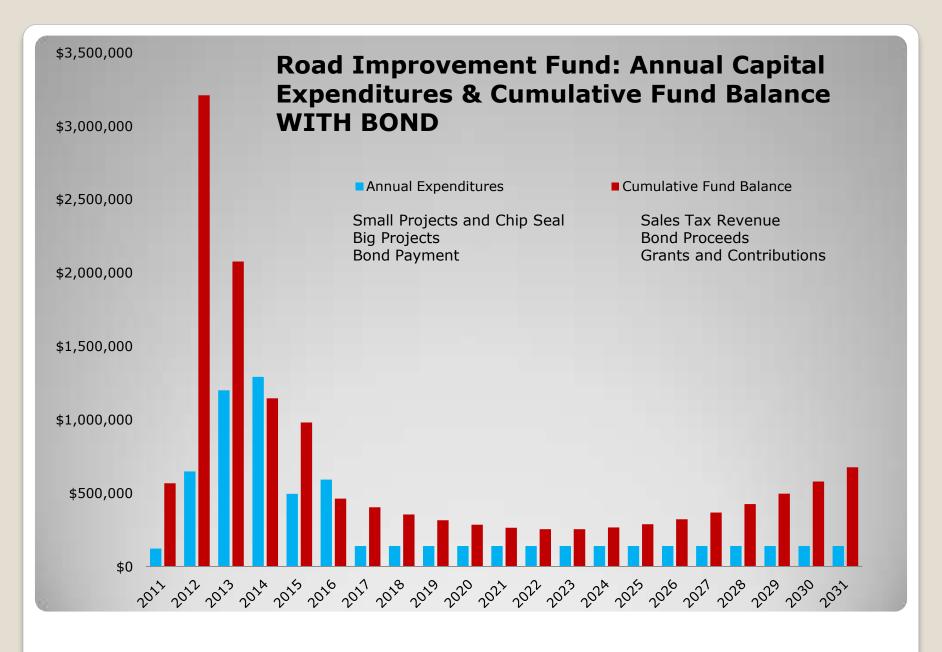
### \$3 million bond:

- Improve Hwy. 24, Gregg Drive, East Main to South Main and more by 2016
- \$25,000/ year sidewalks

#### Sales Tax Revenue:

- \$50,000/ year for chip seal
- \$65,000/ year small projects
- \$221,000/year bond payment

#### **NO NEW TAX!!!**



# Street Survey: http://surveymonkey.com/s/2TXGBLP

More information on Town website www.buenavistaco.gov

**Questions/Comments?** 

# Trustee Decision Regarding Ballot Language: January 24, 2012

### "Yes" to bond:

Could improve Hwy. 24, Gregg Drive, East Main to South Main, Rodeo, and more **by 2016** 

### **NO NEW TAX!!!**

### "No" to bond:

Could improve Hwy. 24, Gregg Drive, East Main to South Main, Rodeo, and more by 2025 OR LATER

### **THANK YOU!**